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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-307, United States Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations H-307, United States Capitol Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the University of North Georgia - Cumming (UNG - Cumming) for the Teacher Candidate Residency Program. The project sponsor is The University of North Georgia located at 82 College Circle Dahlonega, GA 30597.

Funding for this program would be used to provide senior interns in the program with paid residencies in Forsyth County Public Schools. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have the following benefits:

- 1. Addressing the teacher shortage by using college students studying education to assist in the education of their local school district
- 2. Providing future educators with hands-on experience to prepare them to teach America's future leaders

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Bourdeaux Member of Congress